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## Treasurer's Annual Report

OF THE

Receipts and Expenditures

OF THE

## TOWN OF WOLFEBORO',

New Hampshire.

From
MARCH 1st.
1883



To MARCH 1st, 1884

TOGETHER WITH THE REPORT OF THE

Superintending School Committee.

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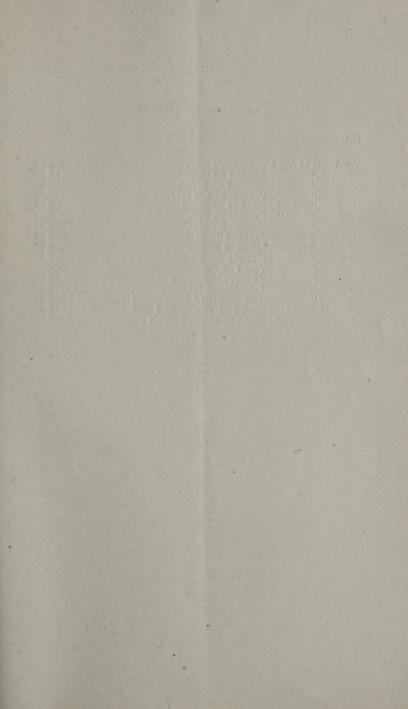
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## Treasurer's Report.

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To	Amount	from	Treasurer, 1882,	:	\$ 2275	81
66	66	66	Bounty on Crows,		41	70
66	• 6	66	Billiard and Bowling,		18	50
. 66	1 66	66	Precinct Tax, 1877.			68
2.5	66	66	Rent of Kimball Pasture, .		25	00
	. 66	66	Insurance Tax,		. 4	50
66	66	66	Railroad Tax,		162	41
66	66	66	Savings Bank Tax,		826	62
66		66			228	99
. 66	66	66	County Poor Bills,		707	96
66	. 65	- 6.	Town of Tuftonborough for			
			Support of Joseph Burke,		39	00
66		66	Assessment 1883,		19,794	81
66			Non-Resident Assessment 1883,		3,604	01
66	66	66	Highway Tax unpaid 1882,		17	67
	6.	66	From Collector's Rook 1889	7	9.465	

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## Treasurer's Report.

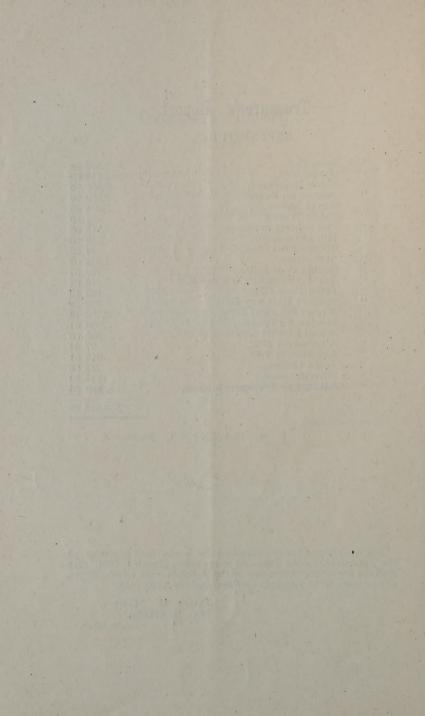
		EXPENDITURES	CR
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By	Paid	State Tax,	2,572 0
	6.	County Tax,	4,714 0
	46	Bonds Redeemed,	2,000 0
	66	Bonds Redeemed, Interest on Bonds, School Monoy	2,980 9
	.6	School Money,	3.24   4
		Public water,	21.0
	- 66	Dog damage to Sheen	15 0
		Fire Department, Religious Societies, New Street, County Poor Bills, Now Register Transport	. 640 0
	66	Religious Societies,	49 3
	46	New Street,	1.843 0
		County Poor Bills,	750 5
	66		
	66	Town Poor Bills,	663 5
	66	Town Poor Bills. Summer Highway Bills, Winter Highway Bills, Lumber for Bridges, School District Assessment	325 2
	- 66	Winter Highway Bills.	3 262 I
	4.6	Lumber for Bridges.	358 6
	6.		825 0
	66	Abatements 1882, Abatements 1883	. 825 0 77 4
	6.6	Abatements 1883	. 210 5
	- 44	Town Officers,	
	6.6	Miscellaneous	013 9
	44	Miscellaneous, Balance in Treasurer's hand,	3.590 6
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I. B. MANNING, Treasurer.

The undersigned have examined the books and accounts of the Treasurer, for the financial year ending March 1, 1884, and find the foregoing statements of the receipts and expenditures of the town to be properly vouched and correctly cast.

> JAMES H. MARTIN, IRA BANFIELD.

Auditors.



## Selectmen's Report

SELECTMEN IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF WOLFEBORO, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1 ST, 1884.

Paid State Tax, Paid County Tax.	2,572 4,714		
	\$ 7,286	-	
Paid Bonds Redeemed,	2,000		
Paid Interest on Bonds,	2,980	92	
00 10.0	4,980	92	
SCHOOL DISTRICT ASSESSMENTS	3.		
Paid District No. 4,	50	00	
" " 9,	175	00	
" " 17,	600	00	
And the second s	\$ 825	00	

#### SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

Paid District No. 1,	167 57
" District No. 2,	381 76
" District No. 3,	143 67
" District No. 4,	169 74
" District No. 5,	106 12
" District No. 6,	127 69
" District No. 7,	63 71
" District No. 8,	208 74
" District No, 9,	79 22
" District No. 13,	261 59
" District No. 15,	139 60
" District No. 17,	1,256 00
" District No, 18,	120 72
Paid the town of Ossipee,	5 41
Paid the town of Brookfield	6 78
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Paid the town of Wakefield	0 10
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Public Water.	
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Paid

James P. Hersey, Charles A. Whitton,

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid	l Engine Co., No. 1,	00
66		00
	\$ 640	00
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	RELIGIOUS SOCIETIES.	
Paid	Methodist, 1882,	10
"	Methodist, 1882,	
**	1st Congregational,	
"	1st Freewill Baptist, 14	00
	2nd Freewill Baptist, 6	
- 66	2nd Christian, 11	35
	\$ 49	32
	4.0	
Non-	Resident Highway Tax Worked out, 406	09
	Total Tiguray Tax Worked out,	02
	BUILDING NEW STREET.	
Paid	Levi and Lavonia P. Horn, land damage, 750	od-
•6	Blake Folsom, land damage, 300	00
44	William C. Thompson, land damage, 150	00
66	Sundry bills for labor on new street, 643	08
	\$1,843	08
	A SECOND PROPERTY OF THE PARTY	
10.60	COUNTY PAUPER BILLS.	
Paid	Daniel Copp, 47 90 Paid John H. Tibbetts, 19	32
44	C. E. Gerald's f'y 46 41 "Betsy Birdstead, 134	45
46	Frank Henshaw 52 00 " J. M. Kimball fl'y 98	73
- "	Hiram Philbrick 43 00 "Alb't W. Meserve 30	00
٠,	W. H. H. Clough 15 00 "Mrs. Buzzell 13	50.
44	C. O.Morgan chl'n 8 50 " John H. Lock 3	08
46	E. Byron Copp, 13 43 "Joshua Fullerton 104 Betsy Sargent 32 00 "Sam'l S. Davis 89	25
10 113	Dousy Bargone 02 00 Bain 1 B. Davis	-
	\$750	57

#### TOWN PAUPER BILLS.

	9						
Paid	Mrs. Chas. Elliott 1	25	Paid	Joseph Burke	39	00	
**	" Ezra Tibbetts 11	00	6"	Flora Kimball	21	00	
**	" C. M. Stevens 40	00		Almyra Copp		40	
00 9	Hamilton Lock 106	00	- 66	Geo. A. & Cora J			
66.	Chas. E. Corson 2	57		Eaton			
	Henry H. Bickford 5	00	66	Mary E. Bickford	156	00	
6.5	Oliver E. Clough 59	31	"	Eli B. Kenney	69	50	
					663		

## LUMBER FOR BRIDGES

Paid	Hersey Brothers	29	51
**	" "	15	46
66	V. B. Willey	62	26
46	"	20	71
44	"	5	82
-66	Libbey, Varney & Co.	214	15
66	J L Peavey & Co.	5	70
	Samuel B. Šawyer, for Stone,	5	00
		358	61

## ABATEMENTS

George W. Bassett's List,		of the state of th	77	41
George W. Bassett's List,	1883,	Dr. Townson Mary	210	51

### SUMMER HIGHWAY BILLS.

Paid	District	No	. 1.	2	81	Paid	District	No. 4	96
66	66	44	7	1	90	4.6	ii	" 8 '82	4 89
66	44	66	9	19	38	44	66	" 10	11 44
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66	66	44	42	26	25	6.6	44	" 44	36 75
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## TOWN OFFICERS

California (	
Paid	John T. Furber, Supervisor
66	Joseph P. Heath Supervisor
4.6	Joseph H. Bickford Auditor 1882, 2 03
66	Geo. E. Symonds Auditor, 1882,
66	Dudley C. Frost, Town Clerk,
66	Jonas W. Piper, Selectman,
66	Joseph H. Bickford, Selectman,
66	Thomas J. Bickford, Jr., Selectman,
6.6	Overseers of Poor,
4.6	I. B. Manning, Treasurer,
66	Geo. E. Symonds, Superintending School Committee, 60 00
66	Geo. W. Bassett, Collector in full for 1882, 25 00
66	Geo. W. Bassett, Collector in full for 1883, 200 00
	\$753 50

### WINTER HIGHWAY BILLS

Dis.	Surv yor	Am	ount Dis.	Surveyor	Amo	unt
1	R. R. Davis	178	72 2	B K Webster	3	00
4	John Wentworth	83	69 6	Oscar F. Horn	157	84
7	Woodbury P Horn	62	42 8	Sam'l Reynolds	55	89
9	John Geralds		68 10	Joseph Brummitt	89	11
11	Chas. L. Nute	90	76 12	Henry A. Clough	63	82
13	Chas S Paris	95	76 14	Samuel H. Morgan	58	95
15	Sidney M. Garland	98	31 16	Endicott Willa d	118	96
17	Orren Dixon		06 19	Chas H Tibbetts	46	66
20	Alpheus Weeks	73	96 21	Chas H. Bennett	83	36
22	Chas F. Blake	67	24 23	John H. Rust	124	69
24	James H. Martin	84	64 25	George A. Avery	55	48
26	V. B. Willey	39	38 27	Samuel Shorey	164	35
28	Wm. M. Whitton	119	13 29	J A. Chamberlain	46	89
30	Sam'l P. Shepherd	47	12 31	Chas D. Hersey	107	90
32	John T. Furber	48	41 33	W P Adams	47	44
34	George C Avery	43	$69 \ 35$	Albert Smith	46	55
36	J. L. Goldsmith	40	02 37	Munroe F. Nute	94	82
38	Mark A. Young	80	81 39	Frank B. Horne	129	04
40	John H. Horn	138	73 41	John W. Cotton	15	25
42	T. J. Bickford jr.	58	35 43	C. H. Richardson	76	61
44	H. A. Tibbetts	59	76			
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66	T. J. Bickford of	e nor	vota		500	00
66				de Board,		75
66	N H Scott retur	n of	hirthe a	nd deaths,	8	50
66	James Roswell de	mar	e to Slain	gh,	5	00
66	John E Avers	mag	c to bleig		5	00
6.	Charles H. Par	ker	printing	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	12	00
66	Henry J. Colman	SWO	ening to	vn house &c	3	00
4.6	E C Banfield A	ttorn	ev 1889	,	28	00
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#### MISCELLANEOUS CONTINUED

6.6	For Constable Badge,	12
6.6	A. D & J. L Avery, landdamage awarded 1881, 20	00
44	Z. B. Ingalls Constable fees,	81
	Z. B. Ingalls for cash paid witnesses &c31	92
6.6	J. W. Piper, cash paid for tramps,	00
6.0	R H. King, for return births and deaths,	00
66	R. R. Davis, fish and game warden,	25
	J. H. Bickford, bounty on crows,	40
66	T. J Bickford bounty on crows,	30
	J. W. Piper, bounty on crows,	20
44	Blake Folsom office rent,	00
66	Selectmen horse hire	00
4.6	Daniel Horne, Selectmen Board,	00
6.6	J. W. Piper, postage and stationery	44
44	Recording Inventory and making Collector Book 5	00
66	Selectmen cash travelling expenses6	60
Paid	T. J. Bickford, for patching town house, &c.,	50
	Selectmen bounty on woodchucks	40
4.5	Dividing school money and assessing school dist taxes 24	00
66		00
16	George W. Bassett for Nonresident Highway	
	tax worked out in year 1879,20	90
	Daniel Colman board and office rent for Selectmen, 50	75
	\$ 913	_
	618	44

#### JONAS W. PIPER

#### THOMAS J. BICKFORD.

Selectmen of Wolfeborough.

Wolfeborough March 3d., 1884.

The undersigned having examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen for the financial year ending March 1st., 1884 and find the foregoing accounts to be properly vouched and correctly east.

James H. Martin Ira Banfield

Auditors

TABLE SHOWING THE ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN OF WOLFEBOROUGH, N. H., March 1 st. 1884.

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## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

OF THE SCHOOLS FOR THE YEAR, ENDING MARCH 1, 1884.

School Dirtrict	1 st Term	2 nd Term	3d Term	For Year	Boys	Girls	Not absent	Av. No, enrol'd	Av. Attendance	Fr. ct. Attend'e	Wages Wages Per Month
1	15	15	14	16	8	8	2	14	13	.93	Etta F. Mason 1st term 24 Etta Rust 2d term 24
3	20	22		22	10	12		20.5	18.5	.90	Sarah A. Phillips 3d · · · 26 Etta Rust, 1st term 24 George Haines 2d term 40
4	22		16	25	10	15		19.3	18	,92	Annette L. Horne 24
<b>5</b>	19	16	6 19	7 19	3 10	9	2	17.3	16.3	.86	Hattie E, Dixon, 22 Emma Davis, 1st term 20 Clara Bassett 2. "24
7	7 Register not returned to Wolfeboro' 3d term 26										
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15	12	15	29	29	19	10	3	20.	18.	99	Harry Rankins, 3, " 40 Alzira L. Cotton 1, " 18 Etta F. Mason 2, " 23 " 3, " 23
18	15	18		18		7		15.5	15. 9	3.5	L. A Merrow 1, 28 I. S. Gilman 2, 28
17	00	-	18	18	8	10		16.7	~~		High School
		31 29	29	31 35	12 19	19 16	2	27.6	26		Grammar Intermediate
		58						54	53		Primary
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intermediate mass mary Avery, 35 1-5									MISS MALLY AVELY, 30 1-3		
Primary, 1st and 2d, term								Miss S. E. Haley, 33 1-3			
					ľ	Ju,	er.	ale,			V. S. Marsh, 33 1-3

THE SCHOOLS as a whole throughout the year have been as successful as could reasonbly be expected considering the number of inexperienced teachers who have taught this year for the first time. An especial effort has been made to awaken in the mind of both teachers and pupils the great object of work in the public schools, namely the best preparation for the practical work of actual life. We believe that a good advance has been made by teachers in methods of teaching, in discipline and in all things which tend toward better training.

No school has been reported as not running smoothly throughout the year and there is no school in the town but has made considerable improvement, some more than others owing to a variety of circumstances that could not be controlled. We feel satisfied that the coming year of 84 will open with great promise on account of the manifest interest of the children to obtain that knowledge which will be of priceless value to them in the future.

The graded school Dist., 17. has made we think very good improvement during the year. The teachers have been experienced and have worked with untiring energy. This work has been apparent and brought forth a rich reward of scholarship and good deportment. Nothing can be more pernicious and ruinous to a school than to have a teacher who expects to teach without work. The fruit of such teaching is very soon manifest in the pupil.

Says a leading educator, "The most difficult art, in the world, the most difficult of all arts, far exceeding that required to chisel a statue or paint a picture is to train up a child to be a man." Yet how imperfect is the preparation for this great work, with mith many of our teachers. A partial remedy for this lack of preparation is an earnest love for the work and full understanding of the importance of teaching to our commonwealth. The anticipations of thinking minds, the hopes of good men center upon the results of our common school system. It is the basis of our liberty. If it fails then our country must be a failure and our happy homes broken up. Hence it becomes the duty of all good citizens and faithful parents to give every teacher, every scholar, every school all the encouragement, possible.

G. E. SYMONDS, Supt Schools Sec. B of E No. 17

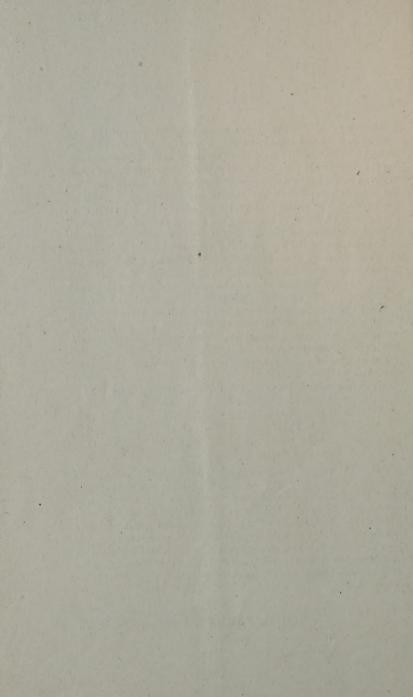
DISTRICT No. 2. The system of grading was continued in this district in the same manner as for several years past with satisfactory results. There were three terms in each grade amounting to twenty-six weeks in the primary department, and twenty-seven weeks in the Grammar Department, the extra week in the latter being sustained by contributions from the parents of the pupils. The grammar school was under the instruction of Miss. Sadie O. Mason, this being her second year in this school. A good interest on the part of both teacher and scholars was manifested throughout the year, and the progress of the school was highly satisfactory in all respects. The Primary School was under the instruction of Miss. Hattie E. Parker, this was her second year in the department, and the progress was all that could be expected. The teacher labored hard to start the tender minds of those entrusted to her care, aright and succeded in a commendable degree. This school labors under the great disadvantage of not having a suitable room. The district should provide better accommodations for it.

The number of pupils attending two weeks or more each term

respectively:

Grammar School, 1st term,	26, 2d term,	29, 3d term,	31
Primary School, 1st term	25	18	15
Av'ge daily att. Gram	23	27	29
" " Prim'y	22	16	14
No. not absent Gram	14	19	17
No. not absent Primary	9	8	2

One of the evils of the times, so far as our country schools are concerned, is the early age at which children cease to attend school. It has been too common a practice for boys and girls, so soon as they are of sufficient age and size to earn a little money, to leave the school, wholly or in part, making the great mistake that mental training and the acquisition of knowledge is of less value than money, when, without regard to other and higher considerations, the former is the better financial investment, in as much as skilled labor always commands better pay than labor without skill.



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